

Today's Weather
Cloudy, warm and humid with scattered showers and chance of a few scattered thunderstorms today, tonight and tomorrow. High today and tomorrow 82 to 87. Low tonight 63 to 68.

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Bertha Bogs Down To Rainstorm

Louisiana Set For Winds; Threat Ends

LAKE CHARLES, La. (UP) — Tropical storm Bertha, no longer a hurricane, broke down into windy rainstorms today. The Weather Bureau said the threat of the year's second hurricane was over for the Louisiana-East Texas coastal area, badly hit by hurricane Audrey last June 27. All warnings were lowered Friday night when the storm lost its driving force. The New Orleans Weather Bureau said heavy rains and strong winds would follow the storm into East Texas. By early today the strongest winds had subsided to 50 miles an hour and less. Ironically, one of the few reports of damage on land was from Cameron, La., nearly destroyed by hurricane Audrey. One of the 10 persons who refused to flee from Bertha tried to cook his supper on a makeshift stove. It blew up and destroyed his home and the house next to it. Telephone communications were out to Cameron and it was not known if the destroyed homes were ones originally there or among those hastily thrown up in the debris left by Audrey.

Good Evening!

Bertha hits Louisiana coast.

The hurricane, we mean, and it's cutting quite a figure. Well Sir, here's hoping it blows itself into harmlessness and, meantime, stirs a bit of rain for us Louisiana neighbors up this way in the north.

Look at our Bristol Babe Ruth league state champs!

They walloped Maryland last night in the region playoff and if they can repeat with the New Jersey champs tonight, off they go for Ann Arbor, Mich., for the World Series. If those little fellows bring the championship back with 'em we're going to have a real celebration.

Maybe, even, they should play an exhibition with the Phillies!

It begins to appear Mayo Smith's boys will be fighting the rest of the way for 4th place. That clobbering last night by the Giants didn't bring joy anywhere.

Mr. Slamm'n' Samuel Snead still leading the Sam O'Shaner "world" open two strokes ahead of the pack with some of the best golf of his career.

Wouldn't it be nice if the old man could win this one?

And the Senate union racket probe reveals hoodlum Johnny Dio and a couple of his pals finally quit the AFL United Auto Workers union with \$396,000 of the union's assets.

Is the average rank-and-file union member keeping hep to what's been happening to the hard-earned cash he's been paying as dues?

The young fellow who wants to step into his dad's shoes should remember that dad didn't wear loafers.

Watch your driving during the weekend.

Go to church tomorrow.

New Romance?



Rock 'n' roll singer Elvis Presley poses with his latest "houseguest" at Memphis, Tenn. Blonde Venetia Stevenson, Hollywood starlet, flew to Memphis. She was married briefly to Actor Russ Tamblyn and is the daughter of Anna Lee, British actress, and Robert Stevenson, director-producer. (United Press Telephoto)

U.S. May Drop Spy Case To Protect Files

WASHINGTON (UP)—The government may have to drop its spy case against Soviet Col. Rudolph Ivanovich Abel until Congress takes action to protect FBI files, congressional sources said today. The Justice Department had no comment, but sources close to the department expressed fears about the outcome against Abel, who is regarded as one of the central figures in the government's recent roundup of accused spies.

Abel was indicted Wednesday on charges that he sent secret defense material to Russia while posing for nine years as a Brooklyn photographer, if convicted, he would be liable to the death penalty.

Congressional concern about the outcome of the case stemmed from the June 3 Supreme Court decision to compel the government to show defendants in criminal cases the FBI reports of prosecution witnesses.

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover has been known for years to strongly oppose disclosure of any FBI reports that reveal FBI investigative techniques, disclose confidential informants, or injure innocent people.

Some sources reported several weeks ago that Hoover and his associates feel they would prefer the FBI to withdraw from the prosecution of some espionage and other security cases if necessary to protect the sanctity of FBI files.

Any prosecution of an espionage case without FBI participation would be unlikely—if not impossible.

But congressional sources said Justice Department prosecutors are concerned about the broad interpretation by trial judges of the Supreme Court's decision.

In some cases, the trial court has sustained defense demands for a wide variety of government documents.

The House Judiciary Committee recently approved a bill to offset the high court's decision somewhat. Under its bill, the trial judge would determine what part, if any, of the FBI report need to be shown to the defense.

3-Car Crash Injures Two

Two women were injured in a three-car accident on Route 1 just east of the Levittown Country Club Shopping Center, Middletown Township, 8:30 last night.

The women were taken to Lower Bucks County Hospital where they were treated and released.

Troopers Thomas Karpovich and Eugene Corsi of the Fairless Hills State Police station reported that a car driven by Robert Jenigen, 16, of 5708 Beaver Dam (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

U.S. To Probe China Visits

WASHINGTON (UP)—U.S. officials today said thorough investigations will be made of any American students at the Moscow youth festival who visit Red China.

The officials said stiff penalties for traveling to Red China might be invoked as a result of court action for any misuse of passports.

Dispatches from Moscow reported about 50 American youths at the festival are planning to visit Red China.

The State Department can only (Continued on Page 3, Col. 7)

Bey Of Beauty



Five contestants in the 1957 "Miss Levittown" contest, smile prettily for the photographer. Winner will take home a weekend trip to El Rancho Dude Ranch in the Poconos. Lookin' pretty (from left) are: Nancy Nemeth, 16, Bald Cypress Lane; Tara Lowe, 15, 61 Ironwood Road; Sandra Lynn Page,

14, 15 Honeysuckle Lane; Claire Wragg, 14, Nightingale Lane; and Suzanne Spicer, 15, 191 Thornridge Drive. Contest is open to teens (13-19) and applications are being taken at the Levittown pools. (Courier-Times Photo)

Probers To Seek Origin Of Dio Entry Into Union

WASHINGTON (UP) — A Senate rackets investigator said today an ousted union official will be asked next week whether he had asked New York hoodlum Johnny Dio his passport into the labor movement.

Counsel Robert F. Kennedy said the Senate Rackets Committee's main witness Monday will be Anthony J. Doria, who resigned under fire last year as secretary-treasurer of the Allied Industrial Workers, a catch-all union formerly known as the AFL United Auto Workers.

Kennedy said the committee also wants to know why Doria got an \$80,000 going-away present when he left the union in February, 1956. Outgoing union President Earl Heaton testified yesterday that Doria got \$25,000 cash and promissory notes for the rest. He said Doria is suing to collect the notes.

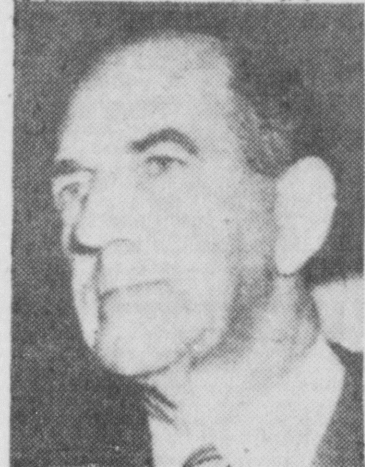
A special convention of the union in St. Louis, called to comply

with AFL-CIO orders for a housecleaning, decided Thursday to try to recover the \$25,000 cash from Doria.

The committee will also ques-

tion Doria about his handling of Dio after the dapper little racketeer became boss of the UAW-AFL's New York operations. The (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4)

Ex-Editor Is 'Smear Proud'



HOLLYWOOD (UP)—The prosecution today prepared to hammer home its contention of malice in the libel trial of scandal magazines Confidential and Whisper. The ex-editor of Confidential testified yesterday that he purposely wrote smear stories to injure prominent personalities.

The former editor, Howard Rushmore, of New York, said "I certainly did," when asked if he had ever written any story to injure anyone. "I'm proud I wrote the Rory Calhoun story," Rushmore said on (Continued on Page 3, Col. 3)

Royal Family Is Criticized

LONDON (UP)—Britain's newspapers criticized the royal family today for allowing young Prince Charles to sail with his father in strong winds and for letting his under-age cousin drive a car.

The 8-year-old heir to the throne narrowly missed a ducking in the harbor at Cowes when Prince Philip's yacht heeled over dangerously.

A few moments later, with the yacht filling with water, Philip hailed a passing barge and transferred the boy to safety. He and the boat's builder, Uffa Fox, brought the craft in.

The London News Chronicle (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

Thinner Marilyn Set To Leave Hospital

NEW YORK (UP) — Marilyn Monroe is scheduled to leave the hospital today, minus 16 pounds of her famous form, but "looking great," according to her husband. Playwright Arthur Miller said he would take his wife, who was rushed to the hospital Aug. 1 and later suffered a miscarriage, to their Amagansett, N.Y., home on Long Island.

Meets Jersey Team Tonight For Crown

By TOM JUNO
Courier-Times Sports Writer

LYNCHBURG, Va. — "The boys are happy and all hepped up. They have lots of confidence and if Pete Cimino is right they won't touch him."

Those were the words of manager Frank Russo, following Bristol's 7-3 victory over Baltimore, Md., last night at Municipal Stadium, in the Mid-Atlantic Regional Babe Ruth tournament.

Bristol meets Lynchburg, N.J., in the final game of the tourney tonight, starting at 9 p.m. (EDT). Lynchburg won over Clarksburg, W. Va., 4-3, in an eight-inning tilt when Bill Monisera's third double scored Pat Mariano.

Cimino is scheduled to hurl for Bristol after three days rest. Lynchburg's Joe Tita will prob-

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ably take to the mound for the New Jersey team. He'll be going with only two days rest.

Winner To Nationals

The winner of the Bristol-Lynchburg game will represent the Mid-Atlantic region at the Babe Ruth World Series at Ann Arbor, Mich., from Aug. 20 to Aug. 25. Lynchburg has beaten Westchester, N.Y., and Clarksburg in tournament play, while Bristol has scored victories over New Castle County, Del., and Baltimore.

Commenting further on the game, Russo said, "I think the turning point of last night's game was when Frankie Williams pulled through without a score in the fifth when Baltimore loaded the bases with one out."

Russo expressed plenty of confidence in his boys as he closed with, "We are not interested in being runner-up. We want to go all the way."

Williams turned in a brilliant mound performance and Tom Kelly, Jess Vansant and Joe Favata came through with timely hits as the Pennsylvania champs earned their win with one run in the first and third innings, two in the second and then sealed it. (Continued on Page 11, Col. 3)

Your Weekend Edition

Youth is spotlighted in the Courier-Times weekend edition. Bristol's Babe Ruth team played at Lynchburg, Va., in quest of a national title. Courier-Times Sports Writer Tom Juno is right there with the boys. His story gives a home town touch to the game, in the sports section, Pages 11 and 12.

Then another young sportsman from Lower Bucks takes the spotlight. Just another week and Jerry Fowler, Lower Makefield, will be racing for the Soap Box Derby championship. Information about him is on Page 18, the magazine section.

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Faster-Than-Sound Jets Arrive At McGuire Base



Col. Charles 'Tex' Chandler, commander of New York Air Defense Sector, shares the cockpit of his Delta Dagger with his daughter, Kathy, 5, af-

ter delivering one of the new planes to McGuire Air Force Base. His wife, Kay, and son, Donald, 10, greet him from a ladder at the side of the plane.



Col. Rufus Ward, commanding officer of McGuire Air Force Base, greets Col. Charles Chandler (cockpit), New York Air Defense Sector Commander, in the new Delta Dagger supersonic jet.



The four pilots who flew the "hot" Delta Daggers from Palmdale, Calif., to McGuire Air Force Base stand beside one of the planes after it landed at McGuire yesterday. Left to right are Col. Charles Chandler, commander, New York Air Defense Sector; Lt. Col.

Alfonse Coleman, squadron commander of McGuire's 332nd Fighter Interceptor Squadron; Capt. William D. Lehman, squadron assistant operations officer, and Lt. Robert Johnson, squadron B-flight commander.

Daggers Fly 'Leisurely' From Calif.

By JIM MCGONIGLE
Courier-Times Staff Writer

McGUIRE AIR FORCE BASE —N.J.: Four supersonic, delta-winged F-102A jets, capable of going faster than the speed of sound in level flight, arrived at this base yesterday following a "leisurely" trip from California.

The huge fighter-interceptor planes are the vanguard of some 25 Delta Daggers which will be delivered to the 332nd Fighter Interceptor Squadron at McGuire by the end of September.

Coasting in from Palmdale, Calif., at an average speed of 625 miles per hour, the planes left Wednesday and stopped off at Albuquerque, N. Mex., Oklahoma City, Okla., and Dayton, Ohio, making an overnight stop at Suffolk, L.I. N.Y., before coming in to McGuire.

They were piloted by Col. Charles (Tex) Chandler, commanding officer, New York Air Defense Sector, McGuire; Lt. Col. Alfonse Coleman, 332nd squadron commander; Capt. William D. Lehman, assistant squadron operations officer, and Lt. Robert Johnson, squadron B-flight commander.

'Best I've Flown'

Lt. Johnson, of Hampton, Va., told this reporter his Delta Dagger is "the best airplane I've ever flown." Restraining a prolonged explanation, he commented succinctly, "I like it fine!" Johnson said the Dagger is "much faster than anything I've ever flown before," explaining that he's piloted eight other type jets, including his squadron's present F-86L Sabre.

He declined to give the top speed of the Dagger, but other sources comment conservatively that it can do upwards of 850 knots an hour.

A base officer said the Dagger broke the Bendix race speed record with an average speed of 679 knots an hour between Chicago and Washington. The speed in miles would be well over 700 miles per hour.

Breath-Taking

The needle-nosed, 68 feet long F-102A's buzzed McGuire in formation before landing, and if an airplane can be breath-taking in flight, those certainly were.

On the ground, it dwarfs the 332nd's F-86L Sabres, which are only 39 feet long. The Delta's triangular wing alone is 38 feet long and is more or less the outstanding visual difference between the F-86, which has the more stubbier swept wing. The bulk of the wing is concentrated near the tail assembly.

The planes themselves were picked up by McGuire's pilots at Convair Division of General Dynamics Corp., San Diego, where they were built. They were eight years in the making, and only four airfields on the East Coast including McGuire, have them.

The four which are brought in yesterday are the first of 15 expected to be delivered this month. The remaining 10, full squadron strength, are expected to be delivered by the end of next month to the 332nd.

McGuire's other fighter-interceptor squadron, the 539th, is scheduled to get the F-102A's by the end of the year. Meanwhile, the 539th will continue using the F-86's.

'Combat Ready'

Squadron 332 expects to be "combat ready," fully experienced, with the Delta Daggers within 90 days of getting the next shipment of planes. Pilots will be trained in two, two-seater TF-102A trainers already on hand.

It was pointed out that the present F-86's are not supersonic in level flight, as are the Delta Daggers.

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Second Front Page

Organ Fund Gets More Donations

The Hammond Organ Fund Committee of Bristol yesterday paid off another \$100 for the organ in the Warren Snyder elementary school, after receiving two new contributions.

Joseph J. McGeever, auditor for the committee, said the fund has now collected \$2,728.50, and paid \$1,954 toward the organ cost. Remaining to be paid is \$1,200.

Winifred V. Korz, of Bristol, donated \$25 and Francis J. O'Boyle, committee chairman, \$50 in recent weeks.

The latest organ payment left the committee a bank balance of

Ousted Labor Official Next For Probers

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committee has charged that Dio muscled into control of UAW-AFL Local 102, the union's first New York unit, in 1951-52.

Former union President Lester Washburn has fingered Doria as the man who issued a new charter for the local making Dio an official.

From that start Dio rose rapidly to become New York regional director of the union and got charters for a string of locals. The committee says the locals were staffed with Dio henchmen and operated a thriving racket of extortion and "sweetheart" contracts which exploited low-paid Negro and Puerto Rican workers.

The committee says Dio's henchmen also staffed seven phony "paper locals" of the Teamsters Union which were set up by Teamster Vice President James R. Hoffa to swing an election for control of the Teamsters in New York.

Washburn tried to boot Dio out of the UAW-AFL in 1954 but his executive board overruled him and Washburn quit. Heaton became president and the board formally cleared Dio. Dio then resigned—taking with him a check for \$16,000.

Heaton testified Friday he took Doria's word that Dio had vouchers to show he had spent \$16,000 of his own money launching the union in New York. Heaton said he never saw the proof himself.

Kennedy said the committee staff can find only \$5,138 "at most" which Dio spent for the union. Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) charged that the \$16,000 payment was "a form maybe a mild form, of extortion" by Dio as his price for leaving the union.

Heaton said the union executive board authorized him to pay Doria \$50,000, approximately the pay Doria would have received for the unexpired portion of his term.

Confidential

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the witness stand. He also said he wrote stories about Marilyn Monroe, Van Johnson, Richard Carlson and John D. Rockefeller.

In a counter-attack defense attorney Arthur J. Crowley said he had asked Superior Judge Herbert V. Walker to rule Monday on statements about stories other than those mentioned in the suit would be admissible as evidence in the case.

Judge Walker adjourned the trial yesterday until Monday morning.

Area Man Burned Smoking In Bed

Carl B. Suretta, Cheeca Farms, near Hulmeville was burned smoking in bed yesterday.

Bensalem Township police and Treves Heights Rescue Squad gave him first aid and took him to Lower Bucks County Hospital for treatment.

Eating Time At Fair



Mrs. Samuel DeCristoforo, Mrs. James Buchanan and Mrs. George Strouse, of the ladies auxiliary of the Fairless Hills Fire Company serve refreshments at the Coke and Sloppy Jo

stand at the Fire Company's Annual Fair. The Fair, located on Oxford Valley Road, Hood Blvd., Fairless Hills, winds up tonight.

(Courier-Times Photo)

Blough Is Recalled By Senate Probers

Levitt Presented With Painting



Ralph E. Bond, president of the Levittown Businessmen's Association and manager of W. T. Grant and Co. Levittown store, (left) and Robert Rockhill, manager of the Philadelphia National Bank and treasurer of the LBA, presented a painting to William J. Levitt in appreciation of the "cordial rela-

tionship" between landlord and tenants of the shopping center. The painting "Nightscene" by Martin Jackson was the most popular work exhibited at the First Annual Lower Bucks Art Show sponsored by the LBA in June. (Courier-Times Photo).

Cites Trouble 'Getting Over' His Points

WASHINGTON (UP) — Senate Anti-Trust Subcommittee today recalled Chairman Roger M. Blough of U.S. Steel Corp., who said he has trouble "communicating" with lawmakers, for the third straight day of questioning on the recent steel price increase.

In his last two appearances before the group Blough did most of the talking with the lawmakers trying to get a word in edgewise. But the steel executive apparently felt he wasn't getting anywhere in his efforts to explain why his firm raised the price of steel \$6 a ton last June.

"My success in communicating with the lawmakers of this country has been almost zero," Blough said.

He denied that major steel producers entered any industry-wide agreement to boost the price by July 1. He said he didn't even talk it over with other producers.

Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney then asked Blough what he thought should be done to curb inflation. O'Mahoney said any man who had "worked his way to the top" of the steel industry should have good ideas for Congress.

Blough replied, "I always hesitate ever to advise Congress." But he added that his aides had prepared material on the subject. O'Mahoney told him to prepare a statement "in your own good time without an audience and the harassment of committee members looking down your throat."

Subcommittee Chairman Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.) reeled off a list of companies that raised their steel prices shortly after U.S. Steel did.

Blough smiled genially for press photographers and apparently was paying no attention until Kefauver asked: "How did that happen?"

Death Notices

CAMERON — August 8, 1957, Mary, of 821, Cornwells Ave., Cornwells Heights. She is survived by her husband, David Cameron, and 2 daughters, Mrs. Ellen McIntyre, Cornwells Heights and Mrs. Mary McCurry, of Levittown. 2 sons, David Cameron, Jr., Cornwells Heights, and James Cameron, of Pennell, and 6 grand children. 1 brother, James McManus, of New York City and a sister Margaret McManus, of Ireland. She lived in this area 30 years and was a communicant of St. Charles RC Church. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral Monday at 9 a.m. from the funeral home of J. Maurice Tomlinson, 2207 Bristol Pike, Cornwells Heights. Solemn Requiem Mass 10 a.m. in St. Charles RC Church, Cornwells Heights. Interment, Our Lady of Grace Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

(See Death Notices on Classified Page)

News Tip Call May Mean \$5.00

If you've got a keen sense for news, it could mean extra bucks for you. Whatever the news tip might be, just phone the News Tip Editor, Courier and Times, Windsor 5-1000 or STiltwell 8-3325. For the best tip of the week, the Courier and Times will pay \$5.00.

Group Plans To Aid Headmaster To Give Talk Interest In Bucks

A special committee appointed by a group of Bucks County restaurant, hotel, and motel owners met at the offices of the Bucks County Development Committee to establish a name,

aims, and membership rules for a new organization created to promote tourist interest in Bucks County.

Herman D. Zettler was appointed chairman of the committee and the name "Bucks County Promotion Council" was chosen. In addition, the committee agreed that initial membership should be confined to restaurants and lodging places, and that a set fee be charged to all members during the organizational stages. Expansion of membership to businesses other than dining and lodging places may be considered after the council is fully organized. A subcommittee of three was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws.

Similar Organizations

Harold A. Swenson, director, Bureau of Vacation and Travel Development, in Harrisburg, presented information on how similar organizations, already active in Pennsylvania, operate and grow. He stressed the importance of operating such associations as businesses rather than charitable organizations, since each member should profit by the activities of his association.

Franklin C. Wood, director of the Bucks County Development Committee, stated that the Development Committee would continue to aid the council throughout its organizational stages. After the meeting, Mr. Swenson informed Mr. Wood, that he was "very much impressed by the amount of work done in such a short time" and believed the group is on the "right track."

Headmaster To Give Talk

The Rev. Dr. Ira Pimm, headmaster of Pennington School, Pennington, N.J., will be the guest minister at the Levittown Methodist Church tomorrow.

As headmaster of one of the Methodist Church's finest boys preparatory schools, Dr. Pimm brings to Levittown not only the experience and inspiration of many years spent in the Christian ministry, but also a wealth of knowledge regarding the role of the Christian church in the field of Higher Education.

Dr. Pimm will speak at both morning services, 8:15 and 10:45 a.m.

The regular Sunday evening service, conducted at 7:30 throughout the year at the local church, will be led by the Rev. Wesley Dixon, former Levittown Baptist pastor and presently engaged in a nationwide ministry for the American Baptist Convention.

China Visits

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investigate violations of its ban on travel to Red China. If American officials overseas have evidence that American youths did go to Red China their passports which are stamped not valid for travel to Red China probably would be marked "valid only for return to the United States." Before this provision or any other limitation is placed in the passport the youths would have an opportunity to request a hearing.

The State Department will withhold any immediate investigation until it is advised that Americans in Moscow for the youth festival actually go to Red China.